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MONITORING OF UPTAKE OF

NUCLEOTIDES DURING MOLECULAR

REPLICATION

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

MS RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

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In conjunction with the RCE filed concurrently herewith and in response to the final Action dated October 13, 2006, please amend this application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page

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